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MOVEMENT FOR NEW FIRE TRUCK

Retail Merchants and Other Citizens Petition For Apparatus

ACTION OF COUNCIL

Will Cost Between $9,000 and $10,000 —Demonstration is Expected to Be Made in This City.

An ordinance providing for taking necessary steps to remove the restrictions in the constitution of Virginia prohibiting cities from making local assessments upon private property abuting on streets upon which permanent public improvements are made and calling on representatives in the legislature to support the measure, adopted by the city council of Norfolk, was presented to council last night and referred to the joint committee on streets and general laws.

This ordinance was sent to Alexandria by Robert E. Steed, city clerk of Norfolk, who forwarded the communication to Mayor Fisher and the latter in a letter to council stated it met with his approval.

Under its provisions, it was stated by a number of members of council that the cities making public permanent improvements may assess the property owners any amount they may choose which, of course, they are unable to do at the present time.

Councilman Brockett wanted to know if the proposed change effected simply streets or sidewalks.

Councilman Bryan, vice president of the board who presided in the absence of President Smith, said its object is merely to permit cities to go back to the old law and make such laws as they may choose for street improvements.

A petition for a new truck for the Relief Hook and Ladder Company, signed by a number of property owners and endorsed by the board of directors of the Retail Merchants' Association, was presented and referred to the joint committee on fire and finance.

Councilman Harrison said that six months ago a petition was presented, and a report was made by the committee. The cost of an aerial truck, he said, would be between $9,000 and $10,000.

Councilman Brockett offered a resolution that the fire committee report the cost of and kind of truck needed as soon as possible. Mr. Brockett also asked for a report at the next meeting on the old report of the fire committee recommending the installation of an aerial truck.

Councilman Desmond said that next Thursday the members of the fire committee expected to go to Annapolis, Md., for the purpose of witnessing a test of a truck and that if weather conditions permit the representative of the fire company constructing the truck will bring it to this city and give an exhibition test.

Mr. Brockett also suggested that it would be a good idea for the fire committee of council to have constructed platforms at certain points on the river front for the new fire engine in case it had to go the river front to fight fires. He also thought it would be a good idea to have pipes at different points in the river to draw the water in the event of low tide.

An ordinance to issue $60,000 registered and unregistered coupon bonds to be known as annexation bonds was referred to the finance and general law committee.

An ordinance to set apart a sum equal to twelve per cent of the assessed valuation of property in the annexed territory, in accordance with the terms of the annexation decree effective April, 1915, was referred to the committee on finance and general laws.

Councilman Lawler presented a petition and ordinance for the improvement of South Washington street from Duke to Franklin streets. The petition was signed by a large number of property owners. The ordinance provides for an appropriation of $5,600 for a bituminous macadam roadway, twenty-four feet wide, on that thoroughfare. It was referred to the committee on streets and finance.

Councilman Harrison introduced a resolution that the auditor's report for the year 1915 be printed.

Councilman Bryan said that the printing was being held up awaiting the report of the city engineer which will be embodied in the auditor's report, and that this will be done very shortly.

Councilman Brockett introduced a resolution that the finance committee accept the notes of property owners for sewer work, they to mature twelve months from passage of the resolution. This was referred to the finance committee.

Councilman Lawler suggested that the notes be made a lien on the property of those giving them.

Councilman Brockett introduced a resolution that one of the free telephones given by the telephone company in connection with its franchise be installed in the new high school building and it was referred to the committee on schools.

Petition of the Corby Baking Company that certan provisions of the city laws be waived in order that it may construct driveway to its plant on Cameron street between Fairfax and Lee streets, was referred to street committee.

Papers in the suit of the city council against the unknown heirs of Richard Johnson providing among other things for a release deed by city were referred to general laws committee.

On motion of Councilman H. R. Burke council adjourned to meet next Tuesday night as the next regular meeting will fall on February 22, a holiday.

The sum of $450 was appropriated for construction of sewer on Patrick street between Oronoco and Pendleton streets; resolution appropriating $125 for cinders on Madison and Montgomery streets between Columbus and Washington streets, was referred to street committee; petition of Parent-Teachers' Association asking for an appropriation of $250 for cement sidewalk from West End school to Duke street road was referred to joint committee on finance and schools.

Common council concurred in the action of all papers sent in by the Aldermen.

Board of Aldermen

Only three papers, and they on general subjects, were introduced in the Board of Aldermen. They were disposed of without discussion. The board concurred in the action of the Common Council in appropriating $8,000 to pay for the new auto engine and concurred in the action of the common council on all papers sent in.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Rev. and Mrs. Augustine Vacqueline Smith of Washington, D. C., are in the city, guests of Dr. and Mrs. William Morgan Smith.

Charles C. Carlin has sold to Hugo Herfurth, jr., a house and lot on the west side of Royal street, between Gibbon and Wilkes streets. Augustus Dean has sold to Mary F. Dean a lot on the northwest corner of Lee and Gibbon streets.

Court No. 54, Daughters of Isabella, will give an entertainment and euchre, for the Young Men Sodality Lyceum, Thursday, February 10th. Lyceum Hall, at 8 o'clock. This promises to be the largest card party of the season, and a large crowd is expected from the number of tickets sold.

Woman Shoots Pastor.

Sherman, Tex. Feb. 9— Mrs. Annie Faust, wife of a wealthy farmer, shot and killed Rev. J. M. Cagle, a Baptist minister, in the public square Monday afternoon. She then sought a policeman and surrendered herself. "I did it because he slandered me," was the only explanation she would make. Four bullets struck Cagle, all entering his chest. A wild shot wounded an elevator boy in a nearby building. "Take me to my wife. I have but a few minutes to live, and I don't want to die until I have talked to her," gasped Cagle as he laid in the street. He died before his wife could reach him. Influential friends sought bail for Mrs. Faust. They declared she will never be brought to trial. A few days ago Mrs. Faust's brother in-law quarreled with Cagle as a result of reports that the clergyman had been gossiping about the woman.

WOULD TIGHTEN NEW TAX LAW

State Released to Localities Under Segregation $1,675,000

INTANGIBLES $728,487

Auditor Moore Reports That Total State Revenue Now Reaches Sum of $6,558,880 36

Richmond, Feb. 9—Changes in the partial segregation system of taxation now in force so as to produce an increase in the annual revenues of the State amounting to approximately $1,000,000 are recommended by the State Advisory Board on Taxation in its report to the Senate and House Finance Committees, made public yesterday.

The board points out that under the new system the State released to the localities in taxes on real estate and tangible, personal property revenues amounting to $1,675,000. To offset this loss, the increase in the State revenue from taxes on intangible, personal property is $728,487, a net loss of revenue to the State of $946,513.

In order to meet the deficit that must take place in the fiscal year beginning March 17, 1917, if additional revenue is not provided for the State, the board recommends the enactment of amended tax laws, which will increase the income of the Commonwealth approximately $977,000.

The board's report takes up in detail the several sources from which this increase is to be derived, undertaking to show that the amendments recommended are in line with the general purpose of the segregation plan to bring about more uniform and thorough assessments throughout the Commonwealth, with the view of reducing taxes.

If the board's suggestion are followed by the General Assembly the $977,000 aggregate increase will be obtained from these sources: Merchants' license tax $250,000; shares of bank stock, $75,000; capital in business, $100,000; franchise tax $50,000 intangibles yet to be discovered and subjected to taxation ,including real estate notes, $200,000; income, $25,000 water, heat, light and power companies, $27,000; normal increase in revenue, including franchise tax on public service corporations $250,000.

The report was submitted to the joint committees on the House and Senate at their sitting Thursday night. No action has as yet been taken by either committee towards th eframing of bills to put the suggested changes into effect.

An addendum to the board's report prepared by State Auditor C. Lee Moore estimates that the State's revenues for the appropriation year ending February 28, 1917, based on the present tax laws, will be $6,658,880.36 The estimated surplus on March 1, 1916, will be $382,663.62, making a total of $7,041,543.98 that will be available for the expenditures of the appropriation year ending February 28, 1917.

The Auditor estimates the disbursements of this year, based on the present appropriations, at $7,113,081.31. This does not include any amount for improvements at any hospital or institution. Accordingly, he estimates there will be a deficit for the appropriation year ending February 28, 1917, of $71,547.33.

"It will be seen from the above," concludes the auditor, "that the surplus and estimated receipts are not sufficient, by $71,537.33, to pay the estimate, of disbursements, which estimate is based on present appropriations including no amount for improvements. The State has, however, in process of collection, taxes assessed for years prior to 1915 amounting to $647,714.51, and I am unable to state at this time what per cent of these assessments will be collected. There will be litigation with respect to some of these assessments and it would hardly be safe, in my opinion, to calculate on collecting, during the first appropriation year, more than $400,000 of these taxes, from which, after deducting the deficit of $71,547.33, there remains $328,462.67 from which the General Assembly can make appropriations not included in the estimate of disbursements. Of course, the General Assembly can appropriate a larger sum than this difference of $328,462.67 should provision be made in the laws producing a larger revenue.

"The foregoing total, $7,100,000 it seems must be provided for, and, in my opinion, it would not be safe for the committee to make appropriations beyond this amount whether the sums be in the general appropriations act or in other acts, which will exceed $300,000.

"According to my estimate, the present annual income of the State under existing tax laws is $6,658,880.36 and to make appropriations which will require an annual disbursement of $7,400,000 will necessitate changes is the present laws which will provide, after this year, additional revenue in the sum of not less $1,000,000, thereby affording the State, under the most favorable circumstances, a very small surplus, a condition which in considerfar more beneficial to the State in every way than a large surplus."

WIN THEIR SIXTH GAME.

Alexandria High School Team Defeats Eaton A. C. Second Time.

The basketball quint representing Eaton Athletic Club, of Washington, was overwhelmingly defeated last night in the Armory by the fast Alexandria High School five, the final score being 42 to 17. Every member of the A. H. S. line-up played a fast game and it was their good teamwork that was responsible for the victory. Kelly, a second-string man, playing in place of Keene who is out of the game on account of disability, gathered the largest number of safe shots, shooting ten baskets from the floor, while Summers got seven. Schafer played well at forward, and Pohl and Duncan were superb guards. Every member of the local quint put up a classy article of playing. For the visitors Mahoney and Bernet played the best game.

A. H. S. took their opponents by surprise as soon as the whistle had blown at the start of the contest, and in three minutes of play had rolled up ten points and kept the Washingtonians down to two. Snappy playing was in evidence all through the contest, and it was free from unusually rough playing, only one goal being registered as the result of a foul and there being less than a half-dozen attempts.

Last night's victory was the sixth game the A. H. S. five has won this season, only one game having been lost that being the contest with Warrenton High School on a recent trip the local then made. Two more games are scheduled for this week and the local fans are pulling for the team to take them both.

At the Armory yesterday afternoon the second team lost to Friends' School reserves, of Washington, by a score of 20 to 11.

Summary of last night's game:

A. H. S.	Pos.	E. A. S.
Schafer	L. F.	Culligan
Kelly	R. F.	McCarthy
Summers	C.	Mahoney
Duncan	R. G.	McCarty
Pohl. G.	L. G.	Bernet

Subsitutions—Terry for McCarty. Goals from floor—Kelly (10), Summers (7), Schafer (2), Duncan, Mahoney (3), Bornet (2), McCarthy, McCarty, and Terry. Goal from foul—Mahoney. Referee—Mr. Blanton. Umpire—Mr. Jaffa. Timekeeper— Mr. McKenna. Time of halves—20 minutes

SEE END OF STRIKE

Work of Labor Department Agents Gives Hope of Agreement in Brewery Matter

A settlement of the Washington brewery workers' strike which has been on since last May, is confidently looked for by leaders of both the workers and the brewers who are being interviewed by agents appointed by the Labor Department to bring about a satisfactory end of the situation. It is said that Patrick Gill, of St. Louis, and Charles Bendheim, of Alexandria, the conciliators, have thoroughly canvassed the situation.

At the Labor Department yesterday, it was said, information connected with the work would be withheld until officially given out there.

Old Virginia Oyster Supper to be given by Circle B of The Woman's Auxiliary of Christ Church, on February 10th, from 6 to 9 p. m. Tickets 25 cents. 8-3t.

TRENCH RETAKEN IN GERMAN RUSH

French Attack in Belgium Wins Advantage Which is Soon Lost

RUSSIANS ARE ACTIVE

Muscovites Again Take the Aggressive in Galicia, But Fal to Hold Slight Advantages.

Berlin, Feb. 9.—Active fighting on the French front south of the River Somme is announced by German army headquarters. In the course of an engagement the Germans lost a small section of one of the trenches they had conquered, but afterward retook the position by a counter-attack. The main attack by the French, which had been prepared for by heavy artillery fire, was repulsed.

An attack by a German air squadron on the railroad station at Poperinghe, Belgium, and on British camps between Poperinghe and Dixmude, is reported, The German airmen had several combats with hostile aeroplanes, but returned without having suffered any losses. The text of the statement follows:

"Western theatre: There has been lively artillery activity to the south of the River Somme. During the night of February 6-7 a small trench section in our new positions was lost. A French attack delivered Monday afternoon, for which the enemy had prepared by strong artillery fire, was repulsed. During the evening a counter-attack again put us in full possession of our position.

"A German aeroplane squadron attacked the camp at Poperinghe and the English camp between Poperinghe and Dixmude. After frequent fights with enemy aeroplanes which ascended to defend the camps our squadron returned without loss.

"Eastern and Balkan theatres: There is nothing to report."

The Russians are again on the aggressive in Galicia, according to a statement by Austro-Hungarian army headquarters, transmitted here. In one attack on an Austro-Hungarian advance infantry position, northwest of Tarnopol, the Russians temporarily succeeded in entering the point attacked, but were shortly afterward ejected.

The position in question was the object of repeated Russian attacks, the statement adds, and favored by clearer weather, the artillery along the whole northeastern, or Russian front, has been active.

The Austro-Hungarian official communication says:

"Russian theatre: Favored by clearer weather, there was vigorous artillery activity along the entire northeast front yesterday, Northwest of Tarnopol the Russians last night repeatedly attacked one of our advanced infantry vantage points, which they temporarily succeeded in penetrating, but from which they were ejected after a short time.

"On the Italian and southeastern fronts there is nothing of importance to report."

FUNDS FOR SUFFERERS

Additional Subscription in Aid to Destitute Jews.

Additional subscriptions to the fund for the Jewish war sufferers received by Leopold Ruben, treasurer, bring the total up to $1,252.42.

The following contributions are acknowledged:

C. C. Brawner, $1; Cash, 25c; Cash $2; Cash, $1; Burke and Herbert, $20; R. Portner Brewing Co., $5; Teachers Association, $5; Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Klipstein, $5; Maccabees, $1; Robinson Moncure, $5; J. L. Perry, $2; N. Lindsey and Co., $5; Max Berman, $10; Max Berman, children and others, $3; Mrs. K. W. Barrett, $5; Chas. Deahl, $3; A. Friend, $1; Cash, $5; Wm. Jorg, $5; Dr. H. McGuire, $5; George Patterson, $1; W. A. Barrett and Sons, $2; Alexandria Nest 1779 O. O. O., $5; Cash, $35; Sale of tags, $102.39; Agudas Congregation, $2.10;

END OF LUSITANIA CASE

United States and Germany Reach Understanding.

Washington, Feb. 9.—All danger of a break in the friendly felations between Germany and the United States over the Lusitania case is now passed, Another great diplomatic victory perches on the banner of President Wilson and Secretary Lansing, nine months after the sinking of the vessel off the Irish coast.

The memorandum submitted to Secretary Lansing on Friday of last week is a substantial compliance with the demands of the American Government for a disavowal of the sinking of the giant Cunarder with the loss of 115 American lives.

It now remains only for the two Governments to reach an agreement regarding the formalities incident to an official announcement of a settlement of the nine-month controversy. This will consist largely in agreement as to the date on which the formal German note is to be made public simultaneously in Germany and the United States.

All that remains is for Germany to decide whether her proposals shall be submitted in a note from the Berlin Foreign Office, or whether Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, shall sign the memorandum submitted to the State Department on Friday. Count von Bernstorff has sent a wireless to Berlin to arrange this detail.

President Wilson gave his approval to the German proposals at an hour's conference with Secretary Lansing before the Cabinet meeting yesterday morning. Later the Cabinet approved his course.

The terms of the settlement are said to be as follows:

First. Germany admits that acts of retaliation are wrong when they affect neutrals. Applied to the Lusitania case, this is an admission by Germany that the sinking of the vessel was not justified. It is accepted by the United States as an admission of illegality, as this government holds reprisals illegal.

Second. An offer is made to pay full indemnity for the Lusitania dead, not as an act of grace, but as an obligation.

Third. Germany repeats her pledge that unarmed merchantment will not be sunk without warning and without providing for safety of passengers and crews, providing they do not try to escape or offer resistance, making a recurrence of a tragedy such as the Lusitania sinking impossible.

Fourth. An expression of deepest regret is made for the loss of American lives on the Lusitania.

Fifth. Attention is called to the fact that, out of deference for the friendship of the United States, and to meet the wishes of this government, Germany practically has given up submarine warfare.

Sixth. Germany accepts the invitation extended in the note of July 21 to co-operate with the United States in achieving freedom of the seas, and is ready to act at any time in this direction.

MAY IGNORE BRYAN

Movement at St. Louis to Prevent Opposition to Wilson

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 8—A movement to eliminate William J. Bryan in his opposition to President Wilson's policies had its beginning here yesterday on the arrival here of Tom Taggart, Democratic national committeeman from Indiana and J. Bruce Kremer, committeeman from Montana. Both men let it be known that Bryan's influence at the St. Louis Democratic national convention June 14 will be felt but little in the party's counsels.

Both men predicted the renomination of Wilson without opposition and declared that Bryan would support the nominee.

Regarding the "peace-at-any-price" advocates, Kremer said, without direct reference to Bryan:

"These peace-at-any-price fellows are rather nebulous bodies—they soon are destroyed in their own vaporings. You hear them, but when you try to find them they are gone.

"The President's preparedness program has found a popular response throughout the West. About the only difference between any section on the question of preparedness now is merely one of degree. Montana and the entire West is strong for Wilson"

STEAMED OYSTERS AT JACOB BRILL'S FOOT OF KING STREET.

ANNUAL SESSION OF GRAND LODGE

Masons of State in Convocation in Masonic Temple, Richmond

J. A. CABELL PRESIDES

Among Those in Attendance Are Officers and Members of Fraternity From Alexandria.

Richmond, Feb. 9. — The Grand Lodge of Virginia Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, convened in its one hundredth and thirty-eighth grand annual communication last night at the Masonic Temple, and was opened by the deputy grand master, J. Alston Cabell, of Richmond, the grand master, James B. Wood, of Charlottesville, being unable to be present. He is at Hot Springs, Ark., under orders of his physician. The acting grand master appointed Frank Sutton, of Richmond, to act as deputy grand master in his stead.

Sol Cutchins, of Richmond, the grand junior deacon, is confined to his home with a severe attack of grippe and was unable to attend.

The acting grand master appointed Right Worshipful Ernest C. Wilton, of Harrisonburg, Va., in his place.

The other grand officers present were. Henry Knox Field, grand senior warden, Alexandria; Ernest L. Cuningham, grand junior warden, Newport News,; Colonel Fred Pleasants, grand treasurer; Joseph V. Bidgood, deputy grand treasurer; Charles A. Nesbitt, grand secretary; John F. Mayer, deputy grand secretary; Capt. William W. Galt, grand junior deacon, Norfolk,; Rev. Harry H. Lee, D. D., grand chaplain, Charlottesville; Capt. James H. Price, grand marshal; James A. Pamplin, grand purquivant; Oscar J. Adams, grand tiler, and A. Wingfield Baker, of Richmond, grand steward.

The attendance on the grand lodge was the largest ever known in its history. The reports of the various standing committees showed larger increases, both in membership and financial activity, than has ever before been reported. The principal business was the reading of the address of the grand master, which was read at the request of Mr. Cabell by the grand master's brother, Robert H. Wood, of Charlottesville.

The various committees were appointed and will meet today at 10 o'clock to take up the routine business for disposition at the sessions of the grand lodge tonight and tomorrow. Among the past grand masters present were the grand lecturer, George W. Wright, of Marion, Thomas N. Davis, of Lynchburg, William B. McChesney, of Staunton, H. Oscar Kerns, of Sutherlin, Philip K. Bauman, of Lloyds, and Dr. Joseph W. Eggleston, of Richmond.

Among the distinguished visitors from other grand jurisdictions were Capt. John H. Cowles, secretary-general of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, and past grand master of Masons in Kentucky, J. C. Keiper, past grand master of Masons, District of Columbia, and Charles H. Callahan, of Alexandria.

PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

Semi-official Report Gives 1,429,171, Large Quantity of Booty.

Berlin, Feb. 8.—The semi-official Transocean News Bureau announces that 1,429,171 enemy soldiers are now prisoners in Germany. This does not take into account many prisoners captured by German troops, but left in Austria-Hungary in order to shorten the transport.

There are now in Germany 9,700 cannon, 7,700 military carriages and 3,000 machine guns captured from the enemy, not including a great number of cannon and machine guns which were destroyed by the enemy before they fell into German hands. Many captured guns were put into immediate use by the Germans, and are therefore not included in this statement.

The number of rifles captured in fit condition for use is 1,300,000.

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SUNDAY SCHOOLS ELECT

New Officers of Alexandria Association—Rev. Dr. R. H. McKim Delivers Address

Officers were elected and reports received showing remarkable interest in the Sunday schools of Alexandria at the third annual convention of the Alexandria Sunday School Association which was held yesterday afternoon in the Sunday school room of the Washington Street, M. E. Church.

The officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

Charles E. Pierpoint, of Trinity M. E. Church, president.

George K. Bender, of the Second Baptist Church, vice president.

Harry W. Wade, of the M. E. Church South, secretary-treasurer.

Division superintendents were named as follow:

Miss Bessie Elliott, of the First Baptist Church, elementary.

Miss Helen N. Cummings, of Christ Church, secondary.

Frank L. Slaymaker, of the Second Presbyterian, adult bible.

John W. Herndon, of Christ Church, teacher training.

Mrs. William Campbell, of the Second Presbyterian, home department.

Repots were submitted by the president, John W. Herndon, the secretary, Harry W. Wade, and the superintendents of the elementary, secondary, teacher training and home departments showing the condition of the association was in excellent shape. The reports of the superintendents of the ten schools connected with the association showed an increase of membership of 444 scholars during the past year. The home department led with an increase of 51.85 percent. The total number of officers, teachers and scholars connected with the association is 3,374.

Thomas C. Diggs, of Richmond, state secretary of the Virginia Sunday School Association, and Frank T. Israel, of Fairfax, superintendent of the secondary division of the state, were the guests of the association and made brief addresses.

At an evening service last night that filled the church the Rev. Dr. Randolph H. McKim, of Epiphany Church, Washington, delivered an address on "The Impregnable Rock of Holy Scriptures."

PRINCE WILLIAM COURT.

Court Names C. A. Sinclair to Push Charges Brought Against Clerk and Others.

Manassas, Va., Feb. 9.—The Circuit Court yesterday signed an order designating C. A. Sinclair as special prosecuting attorney, to prosecute the indictments against Capt. J. E. Herrell, clerk, and W. W. Garrison, recently charged with forgeries in the clerk's office. Capt. T. Edwin Grimsley, senior member of the law firm of Grimsley & Miller, of Culpeper, has been employed to assist in the prosecution of all indictments, including those against R. E. Herrell and H. C. Ryckman, 58 in number, Capt. Grimsley will also have charge of the proceedings to remove the clerk.

All the cases were continued until the first Monday in April, at which time a judge from another circuit will be here to dispose of the cases.

Capt. Herrell has retained R. Lindsay Gordon, jr., of Louisa, to defend him in the indictment and removal charges. Mr. Gordon's presence in the Legislature rendered a continuance of these cases necessary.

Mr. Garrison is represented by Judge C. E. Nicol, of Alexandria, and Bryan Gordon, of Manassas. Mr. Ryckman, is also represented by Mr. Gordon.

The special grand jury has been summoned to reconvene here on Thursday to re-examine certain matters growing out of clerical errors in recording the return of certain of the indictments.

Miss Bessie E. Seal, who has been visiting Miss Ada Allison at her home in north Fairfax, has returned to her home in Orange, Va.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings In Society.

W. Powell Triplett of Prince street, who has been ill the past few days, has greatly improved.

Mr. T. Daniel Frawley, manager for "The Masked Model," now playing at the New National Theatre, was in Alexandria yesterday, as the guest of his aunt, Mrs. George H. Harlow.

The dance to be given next Saturday night at Elks' Hall to raise funds for a Virginia State flag, to adorn the new High School, promises to be a great success. Returns from the several hundred tickets recently mailed-out, indicated that a majority will be accepted. Additional tickets may now be had at Allen's Drug Store, and at the door Saturday night

A committee of the board of governors of the Anne Lee Memorial Home for the Aged, Mrs. Lycurgus E. Uhler, chairman, have arranged a bridge and 500 party to be given Monday, February 21st. at the New Ebbitt, Washington, from 2:30 to 5 o'clock. The Patronesses and those engaging tables up the present time are Mrs. Maud Howell Smith, Miss Nannie Randolph Helth, Mrs. George Lawton Morgan, Mrs. William C. Gorgas, Mrs. Walter S. Hutton, Miss Nell Rose Baggett, Mrs. F. R. Elmore, Mrs. W. A. Wayne, Mrs. J. W. Frey, Mrs. A. H. Mitchel, Mrs. Clarence Dodge, Mrs. Chas. E. Nicol, Mrs. Windsor Demaine, Mrs. H. P. Wilson and Mrs. James Runceman.

The entertainment and medal contest held in the Young People's Building Monday night under the auspices of the Allison W. C. T. U. was quite enjoyable. The program consisted of a piano solo, by Miss Sallie J. Adams; vocal solos rendered by Misses Graves, Bilheimer and Pulman Mr. Marshall Doyle, and Master Talbert Haslett; violin solos by Messrs. Bluett and Friedlander; recitations by Mr. Willard Bluett and Miss Hattie Pollard; accompanying on the piano were Misses Gerlacher, Anna Haslett, and Helen Bowman. Following was the Declamatory Medal Contest participated in by Misses Laura Peverill, Roxie Brawner, Eva Walter Masters Keith Wade, Ralph Wade, Howard Baggett, and Carmie Jeffries. The judges, Mrs. J. B. Catoe, N. S. Greeneaway, and Rev. L. M. Ferguson, rendereda unanimous decision in favor of Master Howard Baggett, The presentation was made by Rev. Ferguson.

DEATH OF H H. PORTER.

Former Virginia Passes Away in New York, Where He went to Receive Treatment.

Word was received last night of the death in New York, of Herman H. Porter, for many years a resident of Washington. Mr. Porter went to New York several days ago with his brother, Paul, to be treated for injuries received in an automobile accident in Washington more than a week ago.

Mr. Portner was a son of the late Robert Portner and was born near Manassas, Va., but spent most of his life in Washington.He was educated at the Virginia Military Institute. The body will be buried at Manassas, Mr. Portner was unmarried and leaves four brothers—A. V., Edward G., Paul V., and Oscar C. Portner, and five sisters—Mrs. H. D. Flood, Mrs. A. V. Kohler, Mrs. W. P. Meredith, Mrs. L. C Graham and Miss Hilagarde Portner Mrs. Flood is the wife of Representative Flood of Virginia.

ELKS' ANNIVERSARY BANQUET

It is expected that 150 members of Alexandria lodge of Elks and their guests will attend the banquet in commemoration of the 14th anniversary of the founding of the lodge which will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the Elks' Home. There will be a number of distinguished speakers answer to the toasts and a section of the Marine Band will furnish the music.

POLICE COURT.

(Justice L. H. Thompson presiding)

The following cases were disposed of today:

Ida Higgins, charge with disorderly conduct, was fined $5.

Lizzie Richardson, colored, charged with a similar offense, was fined $5.

J. O. Peyton, charged with inducing Horace Harlow, a boy, to leave his home in this city, and accompany him to West Virginia, was dismissed.

READ THE GAZETTE

CHARGE IS DISMISSED

Alleged Kidnapping Case Investigated By the Police Court This Morning.

Most of the time of the Police Court this morning was consumed in investigating a charge of kidnapping which had been brought by Horace Harlow, against J. O. Peyton, J. Randall Caton, represented the complainant and R. D. Brumback the defendant.

It appeared that Peyton married Harlow's first wife, after her husband had obtained a divorce from her, from the Circuit Court of Orange. The two children, a boy and a girl, were turned over to the father by the decree of the Court. After Peyton married the divorced woman she removed with him to West Virginia. The father of the young ones, also has married again and resides on Payne street at present.

According to Harlow's statement, Peyton appeared in Alexandria last month and had an interview with him during which he endeavored to persuade Harlow to allow the children to see their mother who had come from West Virginia for that purpose. He at first received no decided answer to this request, and later left the city. Horace, the thirteen-year-old son of the complainant being missing, it was surmised that Peyton had kidnapped him as the boy's sister testified that the accused had also endeavored to induce her to accompany him. Yesterday Peyton was arrested in Washington at the instance of Harlow and brought to this city.

The accused denied having kidnapped the boy. He alleged that the boy came to him at the Union Passenger Station in Washington and accompanied him to West Virginia, where he is now going to school. He brought witnesses who testified they were with him on the day it was alleged he took the boy from this city. They declared no boy was with Peyton or his wife on that occasion.

There being no evidence to substantiate the charge that Peyton was guilty as charged, he was dismissed.

It was shown during the trial that the children had on one occasion gone to Charlottesville to visit their mother after the divorce was granted and that money had been sent them for the purpose. Harlow in answer to this stated that he went after the children next day and brought them back to his home.

After the trial Harlow said he would go to West Virginia, and institute civil proceedings to secure possession of his boy.

RED CROSS SOCIETY.

Purposed to Organize a Branch in Alexandria in Near Future.

Dr. E. A. Gorman, city health officer, is preparing to organize an Alexandria branch of the American Red Cross Society. A meeting of those interested will be held in the near future. In the meanwhile Dr. Gorman requests all persons who are now members of the American Red Cross Society to send him their names.

INCOME TAX RETURNS.

J. R. Weaver, deputy collector in the income tax service of the United States government, will be in Alexandria, February 11th. and 12th. at the office of Deputy Collector T. E. Hudson, for the purpose of advising any one who desires to consult him regarding income tax returns.

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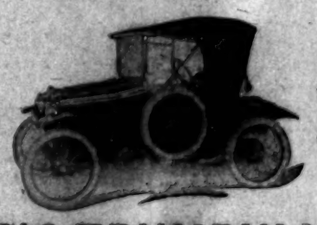
$395.  **$395.**

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SEARCHING FOR THE IMPOSSIBLE.

Despairing of ever finding a husband conforming to her ideals, Gussie Cohen, 24 years old, killed herself by jumping from the fifth floor of a tenement house in New York

At her request she was introduced to four men by a marriage broker. Each of the men was willing to become her husband. She declined all of them, however, because they did not have the qualities of character which she desired.

The reading of flimsy love stories by the young which place blind bridles upon the thoughtless, preventing them from realizing that troubles and disappointments as sail every son of Adam and every daughter of Eve, has caused bitter disappointment to many of both sexes. The fairy stories, after telling of the uniting of lovers say they lived the remainder of their days in happiness. If they did it is more than others can say, as no one has yet accomplished the task of rearing walls enough to keep out trouble.

The young woman referred to above was doubtless looking for an Apollo Belvidere in physique with the brain of a Shakspeare. Those brought before her by the marriage broker failed to meet the expectations of the deluded woman. Hence her disappointment caused her to end her life.

There is no such thing in creation as a perfect man, and while some of the other sex may be angelic in their dispositions neither can they stand the test of X rays. A young couple who become partners for life should remember that there will be bears in the house—bear and forbear. They will experience some happy days, but cloudy conditions will come eventually, sometimes not by the fault of either.

There is nothing perfect. As a poet puts it, the trail of the serpent is upon everything. During the long period the Moors had possession of Spain one of their caliphs reigned fifty years. During his caliphate like that of Solomon, peace had prevailed, and he had had everything heart could wish. Toward the close of his life he is said to have taken an inventory to ascertain the number of unalloyed happy days he had experienced. He could name but fourteen. Such is life. As the author of the book of Ecclesiasters puts it, "All is vanity and vexation of spirit."

ENGLISH LEADERSHIP.

It is reported that Lord Kitchener, the British commander-in-chief regarded as omnipotent the first year of the war, is shorn of his power. He lost nearly half his authority when Lloyd-George was appointed minister of munitions, and now is expected to surrender the rest, leaving the war office for some minor commission. Sir William Robertson is expected to take over the active command of the fighting forces of the empire, and for the organization work there is to be a civilian war secretary.

If this plan is carried out, a Scotchman will be in supreme command of the British land forces. Sir John French, the Englishman who at first led the British forces on the Continent, has already given place to Sir Douglas Haig, another Scotchman. Sir Charles Carmichael, who took charge of the Dardanelles campaign and is now commanding the First Army in France, is of the same nationality.

"British" and "English" are no longer synonymous. The military leadership is passing into the hands of the Scotch. The "strong man" of Great Britain, the civilian on whom the empire leans most heavily, is the indefatigable little minister of munitions—a Welshman.

At the beginning of the war it was all England. But England is losing her prestige. Scotland, Wales and Ireland count more, and the colonies assume a role of greater importance. It is the Empire now—and England is merely a part of it.

THE RIGHT TO SHED COLLARS

Hereafter schoolboys in New Jersey at least, may go to school without collars. Juvenile rights have been vindicated.

Last June two boys of Merchantsville, N. J., shed their collars one broiling day, and opened their shirts at the front, presenting a modest debutante effect. Their teacher promptly sent them home. Their mother promptly sent them back to school. The teacher turned them out again, and a little later the state commissioner of schools upheld her. It was immodest, he said, for boys to go without collars. The fact that girls did so had nothing to do with the matter.

Now the state board of education has passed finally on the case, and upheld the boys. Its decision is as follows:

"Had the boys appeared in school without shirts, it would perhaps have met the exigencies of the hot weather but would have been subversive of discipline; but to say that they should not come to school collarless is an unreasonable and unwarranted exercise of power by the teacher."

That righteous decision ought to hold good anywhere, and every boy in America who rebels against the bondage of a linen collar on hot days ought to know about it.

ROLLER SKATING DANGER.

In Washington two little boys were killed at different times during last week while skating in the streets.

The Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch in quoting the above says:

There is no day in Norfolk that roller skaters cannot be found holding on to wagons, and not infrequently to automobiles.

Such accidents as those described are not attributable to careless motoring, and in nearly all case drivers of both horse and motor vehicles do their best to keep the boys away.

Skating is fine exercise for boys and girls, but busy streets do not offer a safe place for the sport.

Many boys and girls indulge in this sport in Alexandria, some of whom often place themselves in positions of danger. It is hoped such will take warning.

NEWS OF THE DAY

A German propagandist society has been established at Stuttgart for the special purpose of influencing opinion in Spain and South America.

An unidentified woman, about 50 years old, walked in the path of an automobile Monday and was instantly killed in Philadelphia.

It is reported in Paris that Russian tropedoboats sank 40 Turkish sailing vessels in the Black Sea and bombarded three naval construction yards along the Anatolian coast.

The engineer was killed and a number of persons injured when a Seaboard Air Line train from Florida was wrecked near Sanford N. C., yesterday. All the cars were overturned.

It is said in London that reports that Germany had made offers of a separate peace to both Russia and Japan have been confirmed by Count Okuma, premier of Japan. The offers were peremptorily rejected.

The Moscow police have raided various public institutions, including the stock exchange, looking for Jews. They rounded up 800, who were expelled from the city. Pensa and Symbir, suburbs of Moscow, have been declared closed against the Jews.

Frank Ainsworth, of Pittsburgh, Pa., who was found on January 1, last, on the tracks at the Union Station with a crushed left hand and taken to the Alexandria Hospital for treatment, has been discharged from the hospital and has secured a position with the Fruit Growers' Express.

It is stated in London that Premier Briand's visit to Rome is a prelude to events of exceptional importance, affording further proof of Italy's permanent closer union with the allies. This has been strengthened to such an extent that, outlasting the war, it will form the basis of a future economic and financial national policy.

After a lively chase in the river hills near Wrightville, Pa., a vicious bull was killed by the Rev. F. S. Rounsley, a Methodist minister yesterday. The bull escaped while being led to slaughter and when it was found that it could not be captured with safety William Zorbaugh and Mr. Rounsley, with high-power rifles, took up the chase. A bullet from the Minister's rifle brought the animal down.

Carranza soldiers in Chihuahua City who are paid two pesos in Carranza currency a day, equal to eight cents in American money, are threatening revolt and refuse to go in pursuit of Villa and his bandits. The Carranza troops in Chihuahua are less than 500 strong and are slowly starving. The soldiers are practically in revolt. Villa bandits are all around Chihuahua, and the city could easily be taken. Villa with more than 300 men was reported moving upon the city.

At a mass-meeting of lawyers of Memphis, Monday, resolutions were adopted calling upon the Governor to convene a special session of the Legislature for the impeachment of Jesse Edgington, judge of the First Criminal court of Shelby County, on charges of accepting bribes in connection with brewery cases in his court An investigation of the official conduct of J. W. Palmer, judge of the Second Criminal Court, and Z. Newton Estes, Attorney-General, by a committee of lawyers, also was provided for.

Joseph Kruszewski, 49 years old was mysteriously shot and killed in his private bank in Detroit yesterday afternoon. The banker was without a clerk when the tragedy occurred. A customer entered and found Kruszewski lying on the floor behind the counter. The wounded man died shortly afterward without making a statement. A bullet had pierced his back A revolver, with one empty cartridge, lay near by, Police found considerable money on the counter and in the safe. There was no evidence of robbery having been committed.

Even while jurors are sitting in judgment on thieves, the jurors themselves will sometimes steal from fellow-jurors, according to George Warner, who was one of the sworn 12 men "good and true" in a larceny case in the Criminal Court at Huntington, W. Va., The jurors were deliberating on a verdict when the explosion that wrecked the Sam Brown in the Ohio river occurred. The jurors rushed to the window to see what had happened and as they returned Warner felt in his hip pocket for his wallet, which contained $30 in bills. It was gone.

Announcement was made at the Department of Justice in Washington that a jury at San Francisco had voted indictments against German Consul General Bopp and two men named Von Schack and Kaufman, attached to the German consulate, and Turkish Consul General Hall on charges of violating the neutrality laws of the United States. The grand jury voted to include Consul General Bopp in the indictments returned in the so-called Crowley-Von Brincken case, and charges him specifically with violating section 1 of the Sherman anti-trust law and section 13 of the Penal Code.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Fire which broke out Monday night in the Blumberg store at Warsaw, raged for an hour and caused damage estimated at $8,000 or more, with insurance of only $3,000.

Eight persons were injured when two automobiles of light type turned turtle on the Bristol-Kingsport pike Sunday. Two white men and four colored men were injured. One of the latter died, while others are said to be in a critical condition.

Senator Wendenburg has offered a resolution calling the attention of the State Corporation Commission to the valuations fixed on the steam railroads for taxation, as compared with the earnings per mile. Senator Wendenburg, says that the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad is assessed at $20,000 per mile on single track, and yet the earnings of that road per mile for the last five years was at the rate of $188,000 per mile.

Taking the position that the condition of the State treasury at this time absolutely prohibits the maintenance of the school as a separate institution and that justice to the citizens of the surrounding country demands its removal, Gov. Stuart in a communication of the General Assembly yesterday recommended the consolidation of the Virginia Home and Industrial School for Girls, in Chesterfield County, with the Virginia State Epileptic Colony, at Madison Heights, in Amherst County.

For stealing electricity from the Virginia Railway and Power Company in Richmond, W. C. Angle, was fined $200 in Police Court yesterday The fine was paid. Though counsel for the company insisted on a jail sentence, too, Justice Crutchfield thought the fine was sufficient to cover the case, Angle pleaded guilty. It was alleged that he tampered with the electric meter in his home, preventing it from registering properly. Though he had thirteen bulbs in the house the amount of his bill last month did not exceed $1.50, it was stated. The company's officials were unable to say how long it had been imposed upon.

"Your license to perform marriages in Bristol, Tenn.-Va., ought to be and is hereby revoked." Judge Floyd H. Roberts, of the Corporation Court at Bristol, told the Rev. Alfred Harrison Burroughs, the veteran marrying parson of the Bristol Gretna Green, following an all day hearing yesterday upon the question whether the aged minister was a fit person to perform marriage ceremonies. Under the decision the minister will not be permitted to marry couples in Virginia, but his right in Tennessee is not affected. Across the line, in a hotel built for the purpose, Mr. Burroughs has married more than 5,000 couples. Mr. Bourroughs will have no appeal from the court's decision. He is now in his eighty-fourth year and very feeble.

NEW TYPE AIRSHIP

Paris, Feb. 8—Zeppelin airships which took part in the latest raid on England are of an enormous new type much larger than any ever before seen. The Matin in an article gives the specifications of the new super-Zeppelins. These aerial monsters have a volume of 32,000 cubic meters each and instead of being cigar-shaped, have the form of a huge fish. The Zeppelins are dirven by eight 200-horse power motors and are capable of a speed of 75 miles an hour. The ordinary speed of the big balloons is 65 miles an hour. The air ships are equipped with three propellers each and are covered with a scientific aluminum paint which renders them as nearly invisible as possible. The armament consists of several small cannons, machine guns and about a ton and a half of explosives.

The annual meeting of the Board of trustees of the Alexandria Hospital will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce on Monday evening, February 7th at 8 o'clock.

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The rioting followed a series of attacks on street cars by students after several of their number had been expelled for smoking. The students first smashed everything breakable and then fired the car. It was a mile outside the city limits and was a smouldering mass when the fire department arrived.

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Rev. G. C. Richmond, Deposed Rector, Accuses Stenographer of Being a Spy.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 9— George Chalmers Richmond, the belligerent deposed rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, Third and Brown streets, defied the ecclestiastical mandate of Bishop Rhinelander Sunday and preached at both morning and evening services. He furnished the usual thrill, for stopping suddenly in the midst of the morning service he pointed a quivering finger at a stenographer taking notes of his sermon, and shouted: "Stop that! stop that! We don't want any spies around here! You are one of those dirty spies that has been hounding us. Get out, get out!"

The stenographer, William McFarland, who had incurred Dr. Richmond's wrath, tried to explain that he represented a news organization but the irate rector would have none of his explanation and the young man was shunted out into the cold, cruel world, with the inspired words of Dr. Richmond still unrecorded. A chorus of hisses and angry shouts sped after him on his way.

Rev. Henri M. G. Huff has been assigned to St. John's Church but he did not attempt to preach Sunday Fearing that he might, the Richmond adherents had changed the padlocks placed by their opponents on the church gates and were on guard from early in the morning.

Dr. Richmond preached two characteristic sermons. He assailed the influence of money in church circles and declared that President Wilson had done a bigger thing in appointing Louis D. Brandeis to the Supreme Court than anything Roosevelt ever achieved.

"I was always with Roosevelt," said Dr. Richmond, "but Wilson gets my vote now."

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OFFICIAL.

Board of Aldermen.

At a regular meeting of the board of Aldermen of the city of Alexandria, Va., held February 8, 1916, there were present:

Messrs. Brill, Robinson, Ballenger, Wilkins, Fitzgerald and Summers. In the absence of the President and Vice President, Mr. Ballenger was elected President pro tempore.

A resolution appropriating $8,000 for the purchase of an auto fire engine, received from the Common Council at the last meeting and laid over, was passed by the following vote: Ayes, Messrs, Brill, Robinson, Wilkins, Fitzgerald, Summers and Mr. President—6. Noes, none.

A petition of James A. Taylor for permission to erect a frame kitchen at 816 Wolfe street was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A bill of George Meade, $10.50 for damages to wagon alleged to have been caused by being struck by the Columbia steam fire engine December 20, 1915, was referred to the Committees on Claims and Finance.

A resolution empowering the Fire Committee to ascertain the cost of modern truck for the fire department and report at the next regular meeting.

The following were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in:

Message from Thomas A. Fisher, Mayor, enclosing resolutions adopted by the City Council of Norfolk to the General Assembly asking a change in the state constitution concerning assessment of property owners on streets cities may desire to improve.

An ordinance to provide for the issue $60,000 of registered or non-registered bonds of the city, to be known as "annexation bonds."

An ordinance to set apart a sum equal to twelve per centum of the value of lands in the annexed portions of Alexandria and Fairfax counties.

Report of the Committees on Streets and Finance recommending an appropriation of $450 for a sewer on Patrick street from Oronoco to Pendleton. Ayes, Messrs. Brill, Robinson, Wilkins, Summers, Fitzgerald and Mr. President—6 Noes, None.

Resolution appropriating $125 to place cinders on Madison and Montomery streets, between Washington and Columbus.

Petition of the Corby Baking Company concerning grade on Cameron street, between Fairfax and Lee.

Decree of the Corporation Court in reference to heirs of Richard Johnson.

Petition of members of the Retail Merchants' Association and other citizens for the purchase of a new truck for the fire department.

Preamble and resolution requesting the Fire Committee to report as early as possible the cost of a new truck.

Preamble and resolution providing for acceptance of notes from persons unable to bear all the cost at one time of tapping sewers.

Resolution appropriating $5,600 for improving roadway on Washington street from Duke to Franklin.

Resolution providing for printing the Auditor's report for the year 1915.

Preamble and resolution providing for a telephone for the new high school building.

Petition of the Parents-Teachers' Association of West End for a cement walk from the public school in that section to Duke street.

Resolution providing that when Council adjourns the next regular meeting be held Tuesday, February 15, 1916, instead of Tuesday February 22, 1916.

The board then adjourned.

W. W. BALLENGER, Pres. pro tem
Teste: Luther H. Thompson, Clerk.

Common Council

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Alexandria, Va., held February 8th, 1916, there were present:

Albert Bryan Esq., vice President, and Messrs. Marbury, H. R. Burke, Taylor Burke, Wattles, Desmond, Bales, Pohl, Brockett, Harrison, Bailenger and Lawler—12.

A communication from Thomas A. Fisher Mayor, enclosing a resolution adopted by the city of Norfolk requesting the General Assembly of Virginia to remove the restrictions in the constitution of Virginia prohibiting cities from making local assessments upon property abutting on streets upon which permanent improvements are made was received and referred to the joint committee on Streets and General Laws.

An ordinance to provide for the issue and sale of $60,000 registered or non registered Coupon Bonds of the City of Alexandria, called annexation bonds and provide a Sinking Fund for payment of same was referred to the joint committe on Finance and General Laws.

An ordinance to set apart a sum equal to 12 per centum of the value of lands in that portion of Alexandria county and that portion of Fairfax county annexed to the city of Alexandria by a decree of the Supreme Court of Appeals entered in the city of Richmond March the 22nd. 1915, and effective April. 1st., 1915, was referred to the joint committee on Finance and General Laws.

A resolution appropriating $450, for pipe sewer south Patrick street, Oronoco to Pendleton street, was recommended by the joint committee on Streets and Finance and passed Ayes 12. Noes—0.

A resolution appropriating $125 to place cinders on Madison street and Montgomery street between Columbus and Wasington streets was referred to the committee on Streets.

A petition from the Corby Baking Company requesting that they be exempt from the building laws requiring grading from the building line, in constructing outlet for horses and wagons at their bakery on Cameron street, was referred to the committee on Streets.

Copy of record from the Corporation Court "City Council of Alexandria who sues, vs. The unknown heirs of Richard Johnson," was received and referred to the Committee on General Laws.

A petition from citizens and business men of the City and the Board of Directors of the Retail Merchants Association requesting the purchase of an up-to-date fire truck with ladders was received and referred to the joint committee on Fire and Finance.

A resolution by Mr. Brockett requesting the Fire Committee to report the kind and cost of fire truck, was referred to the joint committee on Fire and Finance.

A resolution by Mr. Brockett that the Finance Committee be instructed to accept notes for sewer tapping by property owners was referred to the committee on Finance.

A petition from property owners on South Washington street for an improved roadway from Duke street south to Franklin street and a resolution by Mr. Lawler appropriating $5,600 to construct bituminous roadway, was referred to the joint committee on Streets and Finance.

A resolution by Mr. Harrison that the City Council have the Auditor's report printed for the year 1915, was referred to the committee on Finance.

A resolution by Mr. Brockett that one of the free telephones at the disposition of the City be placed in the new High School building, was referred to the committee on Schools.

A petition from the Parent Teachers' Association for a cement sidewalk from the West End school to the Duke street road was referred to the joint committee on Schools and Finance.

A resolution that when Council adjourns tonight it be to meet on Tuesday night Feb. 15th. and not on Feb. 22nd. was offered by Mr. Burke and passed.

The following was received from the Board of Aldermen and their action cnourred in:

A bill from Meade's Express damage to wagon $10.50.

A resolution directing the Fire Committee to ascertain cost of a new modern truck.

Petition of James Taylor, 816 Wolfe Street, to erect kitchen.

The board then adjourned.

ALBERT BRYAN, Vice President.
Teste Daniel R. Stansbury, C. C.

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MILWAUKEE WANTS CONGRESS

Moving of Capital if Washington Goes "Dry" Proposed.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The spectre of a saloonless Washington yesterday inspired a resolution, offered in the House by Representative Cary, of Wisconsin, directing the removal of the national capital to Milwaukee, "a city whose citizens are liberty loving and who gave a demonstration of their true American spirit at the reception accorded the President, which was proclaimed the greatest reception that he had yet met.'

The resolution, while a joke, is aimed at the prohibition movement. It brands prohibition as a "menace to society and good government, a blow against temperance and the rights and liberties of the American people." It sets forth that the movement to make Washigton "dry" is an "effort of the fanatical Anti-Saloon League to whoop up and bring nation-wide prohibition to an issue."

Mr. Cary is the ranking Republican member of the District of Columbia, committee, and if the Republicans control the next House, will be its chairman.

FINED FOR DOING OWN WORK.

Shoemaker Repairing His Footwear Subjected to Hardship Penalty.

New York, Feb. 9.—"You have no more right to mend your own shoes on Sunday than I have to build my own house on the Sabbath," said Magistrate Conway, in the Long Island City Court, today, "and I shall have to fine you $10."

Michael Morano, a shoemaker of Astoria, was the accused. A policeman found him working in his shop on Sunday and arrested him. In Court Monday Morando admitted he was mending shoes, but said they were his own, which needed fixing.

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8:47 A. M.—DailyLocal for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop: Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisbury to Asheville, coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

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4:02 P. M. —Local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M.—Local for Warrenton.

7:17 p. m. daily—Augusta Special. Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Ashville.

10:02 P M.—Daily Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service

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Beginning at a point on the south side of Duke street, fifty six feet eight and one half inches west of Patrick street, and running then west on Duke street sixteen feet, thence South parallel with Patrick street, one hundred feet to an alley ten feet wide, thence east on said alley sixteen feet, and thence north parallel with Patrick street one hundred feet to the beginning, with the use of said alley in common with others entitled thereto.

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By virtue of a Deed of Trust bearing date on the 20th day of July, 1904, and duly of record in the Land Records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 52, page 90, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the notes secured by the said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale, at public auction, on Saturday, the 19th of February, 1916, at twelve o'clock M. in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building in the said City, all those two lots of ground with the improvements thereon, in the said City of Alexandria, and bounded as follows, to-wit:-

FIRST—All that lot of ground situated on the west side of Union Street, between King and Prince Sts., Beginning at the intersection of the west side of Union Street with the north side of Wales' alley, and running thence north on Union Street nineteen (19) feet one-half (1-2) inch; more or less to the middle of the partition between the brick house on the lot hereby conveyed, and the brick house adjoining on the north; thence west parallel to King Street, sixty (60) feet; thence south, parallel to Union Street, nineteen (19) feet one half (1-2) inch to the said alley; and thence east on said alley sixty (60) feet to the beginning, with the right of way over the said alley and all appurtenances.

SECOND—All that lot of ground located on Wales' Alley in the square bounded by King, Prince, Lee and Union Streets, Beginning on the north side of said alley one hundred (100) feet east of Lee Street, and running thence east on said alley one-hundred and forty (140) feet to the line of the lot above described; thence north thirty-eight (38) feet one and three-fourths (1 3-4) inches; thence west, parallel to Prince Street, one hundred and forty (140) feet, and thence south thirty-eight (38) feet one and three-fourth (1 3-4) inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

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First: All that certain lot of ground situated on the West side of Lee Street (formerly Water Street) and north side of Prince Street, at their intersection in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and running westwardly and binding on Prince Street, forty (40) feet; thence northwardly with a line parallel to Lee Street (formerly Water Street), sixty-four (64) feet, more or less, thence eastwardly parallel to Prince Street, forty (40) feet to Lee Street, (formerly Water Street); thence southwardly with Lee Street (formerly Water Street) to the beginning; together with all the buildings and appurtenances thereto; being the same lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon, conveyed to the said parties of the first part by the Citizens National Bank, Alexandria, Virginia, by deed dated May 9th, 1907, and recorded in Liber 56, folio 32 of the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

Second: All of that lot of ground in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, situated on the west side of Lee Street, (formerly Water Street) between Prince and King Streets, and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the west side of Lee Street, sixty-four (64) feet north of Prince Street, and running thence north on Lee Street, (formerly Water Street,) twenty-four (24) feet; thence west parallel to Prince Street, forty (40) feet; thence south parallel with Lee Street (formerly Water Street), twenty-four (24) feet; thence east in a straight line forty (40) feet to the beginning. With all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining. And being the same property which was conveyed to the said parties of the first part by the Citizens National Bank of Alexandria, Virginia, by deed dated May 9th, 1907, and recorded in Liber 56, folio 32, of the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia

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